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A RADIO APPARATUS WITH A PLANAR ANTENNA

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. §1.97(b))

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted <u>before the mailing date of a first Office Action</u> on the merits for the above-identified application. Accordingly, <u>no fee is due</u> for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

These items were also first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office regarding a counterpart PCT application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), and the 05 August 2003 Official Gazette Notice, only a copy of each foreign document or non-U.S. patent/application listed on the on the enclosed Form 1449 is provided. Also enclosed is a copy of the PCT International Search

Report, which categorizes each of the references, including the non-English references to be considered by the Examiner.

Please note that any notations or markings on the attached documents do not reflect particular relevance, or lack thereof, to the present application, nor were they necessarily made by anyone affiliated with the prosecution of the present application.

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Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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